

Memorandum



Date: February 7, 2012
To: Department Directors
From: Carlos A. Gimenez
Mayor
Subject: 2012 Miami Kidney Walk

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Carlos A. Gimenez". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial 'C' and 'G'.

On Sunday, February 19, 2012, Miami-Dade County Employees will participate in the 2012 Miami Kidney Walk at Bayfront Park in Downtown Miami. The Kidney Walk is a 5K non-competitive walk to raise money and awareness about kidney disease.

Kidney disease affects one in nine American adults who don't even know they have it and at least 20 million more are at risk. In fact, nearly 90,000 people are waiting for organ transplants and 17 people die every day waiting.

I am requesting that you designate a Kidney Walk Captain for your department. These captains will be responsible for recruiting employees to participate in the walk, establishing a fundraising goal and for ensuring those goals are met.

Please submit your department's liaison name to Diana Rodriguez, Special Assistant via e-mail at drodriguez@miamidadecounty.gov or phone at (305) 375-2546 no later than Monday, February 13, 2012.

Thank you for your cooperation.

c: Office of the Mayor Senior Staff